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Speaker Qualifications

Joern Janecke, Dipl.-Ing., born in 1958, is Managing Director of BLIC GmbH, Berlin and BLIC Middle East Transportation Consultancy LLC in Abu Dhabi.

Having graduated from Hanover University as MSc (Dipl.-Ing.) in transportation engineering, he worked in operation planning & management at uestra (public transport operator in the City of Hanover) from 1983 till 1990.

He moved to Berlin in 1990 and has been Managing Partner of BLIC GmbH since then. His activities and tasks have always been focused on design, planning and implementation of Information & Management Systems in public transport sector.

In his role as BLIC project manager Joern Janecke was responsible for planning and implementation of the above Connection Management System in Berlin Brandenburg region.

Ensuring Connections: Lessons from Projects with DB Region and the Transport Association Berlin Brandenburg

Guaranteed cross-operator connection services are – especially for public operators in rural areas – an important quality criterion. While changing from rail transport to feeder bus services or between two neighboring bus operators, passengers expect a reliable service standard and information on actual connection status in case of service disruptions.

Regional transport operators of the State Brandenburg together with DB Region and the transport association Berlin Brandenburg (VBB) have implemented a Connection Management System, that

- Supports cross-company connection planning
- Secures connections by interlinking the operation management systems of different operators in real-time
- Integrates the real-time connections data in Journey Planner inquiries
- Informs commuters in rail transport during their ride about actual transfer connections to regional bus services

The presentation will provide an overview over the gained experience during implementation and operation of the system and give an outlook over planned future developments.